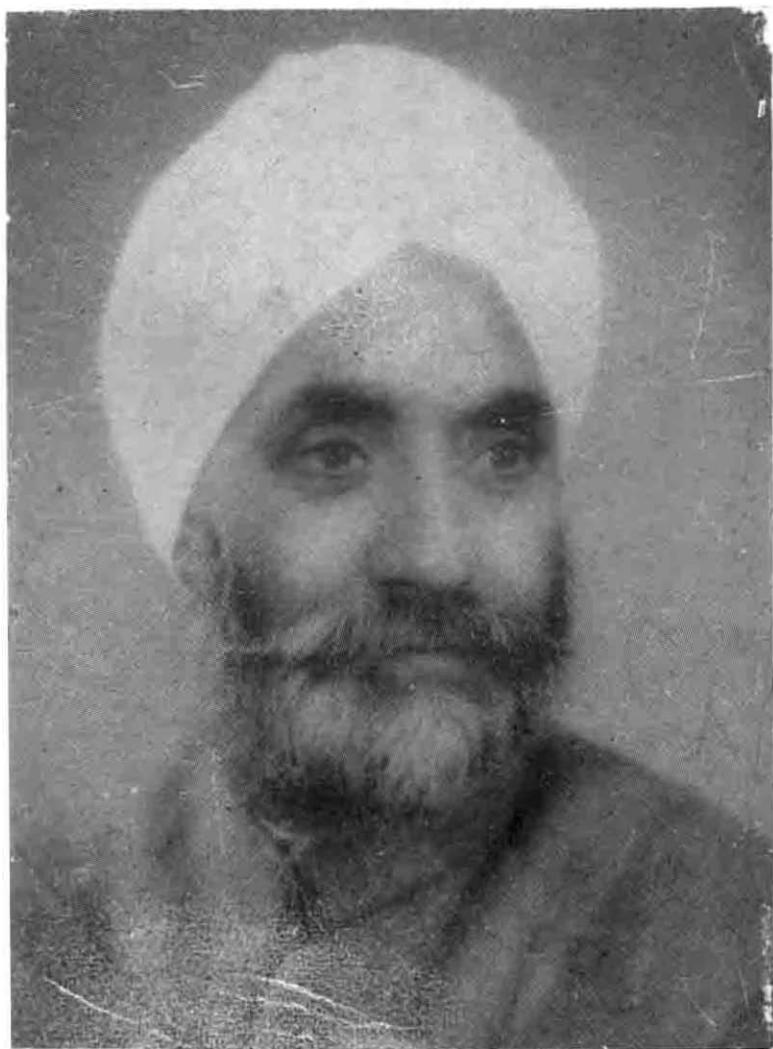




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Dr. Ganda Singh

Date and Place of Birth : November 15, 1900 at
Haryana, District Hoshiarpur,

Father's Name : Sardar Jwala Singh

Parental Home : Pur Hiran, District Hoshiarpur

Finally settled at : Patiala

Date of Death :

Early Education :

Mosque Rajputan, Haryana Distt. Hoshiarpur
Government Vernacular Middle School, Haryana
D.A.V. Middle School, Haryana

Government High School, Hoshiarpur

Graduated from the University of the Punjab,
Lahore (Now Pakistan)

Honours in Panjabi (Gyani), University of the
Punjab, Lahore

Post-Graduate Academic Qualifications :

M.A. in History first Class first, Aligarh Muslim
University, Aligarh, 1944

Ph. D. in History, University of the Punjab,
Chandigarh, 1954

D. Litt. (*Honoris Causa*), Aligarh Muslim Univer-
sity, Aligarh, 1964

D. Litt. (*Honoris Causa*), Punjabi University,
Patiala, 1978

Languages :

Knew Panjabi, English, Urdu, Persian, Pasto, Arabic, French, German, Marathi, Sanskrit and Hindi.

Military Service :

Third Afghan war, 1919, Supply and Transport Corps, Base Depot, Rawalpindi, 1919

1st Brigade (1st Division) Supplies, Peshawar Jamrud and Landi Kotal, Peshawar, 1919-1920

Mesopotamian Expeditionary Force, 1920-21

Indian Base Depot, Makina Basara, 1920

Base Supply Depot, Margil, Basra, 1920-21

Royal Army Pay Corps, British Army, Ashar Barracks, Ashar, Basra, 1921

Accounts

Anglo-Persian Oil Company Ltd., Abadan (Persian Gulf), Iran, 1921-30

Teachings and Research :

Head of the Sikh History Research Department, Khalsa College, Amritsar, 1931-1949

Lecturer in Divinity and Panjabi, Khalsa College, Amritsar, 1933-1949

Lecturer in History, Khalsa College, Amritsar, 1934-49

Lecturer in Military Science, Khalsa College, Amritsar, 1944-49

Professor-in-charge, Seminar on Sikh History, 1943-49

Founder-Principal, and Professor of History and Divinity, Khalsa College, Patiala (Honorary), June 1, 1960 to September 15, 1963.

Principal, Gurmat College, Patiala (Honorary), 1968 to

War Publicity-World War II :

Professor-in-charge, Premier's War Publicity, Rawalpindi Division, Punjab, February-March 1940

University Officers Training Corps and National Cadet Corps, 1944-49

Gazetted as Second Lieutenant with effect from June 13, 1945

Promoted to be Lieutenant with effect from July 16, 1948

Attached for training to 2nd Battalion Frontier Field Force, Lahore Cantt., July 1 to August 31, 1946

Second in Command, UOTC Detachment, Khalsa College, Amritsar, 1945-46

Officer Commanding UOTC Detachment, Khalsa College, Amritsar, 1946-48

Officer Commanding, Khalsa, College Amritsar Detachment, National Cadet Corps, 1948-49

Administrative/Educational :

Under-Study Director of Archives and Curator of Museum, Patiala and East Panjab States Union, Patiala, September 14, 1949 to February 13, 1950

Director of Archives and Curator of Museum,
PEPSU, Patiala, February 14, 1950 to March
2, 1957

Director, Panjabi Department, Patiala and
East Panjab States Union, Patiala, June 2 1950
to June 1, 1953

Deputy Secretary to Government, Patiala, and
East Panjab States Union, Patiala, July 1, 1950
to February 3, 1953

Officer in charge, Central Public Library, Patiala,
February 10 to October 31, 1956

Punjabi University, Patiala :

Director, Panjab Historical studies, Punjabi
University, Patiala, September 16, 1963 to
September 15, 1966

Honorary Life Research Fellow, Punjabi Uni-
versity, Patiala, since September 16, 1966

Journalism :

Assistant Editor, the *Khalsa*, English Weekly,
Lahore, January-June, 1931

Joint Editor, the *Phulwari*, Panjabi monthly,
Lahore, January-June, 1931

Editor, the *Khalsa and Khalsa Advocate*, English
and Panjabi weekly, Amritsar, October 1931 to
January 1932

Editor. the *Sewa Chakra*, Bulletin of the Rotary
Club of Patiala, 1953-58

Editor, the *Panjab Past and Present*, Punjabi
University, Patiala, half-yearly, since April, 1967
till death

Membership of Official Committees :

Corresponding Member, Indian Historical Records Commission, Government of India, New Delhi, 1938-49

Member, Indian Historical Records Commission, Government of India, New Delhi, 1950-56

Member, Panjab Regional Committee for the Survey of Historical Records, Government of the Punjab, Lahore, 1942-47

Chairman, Regional Records Survey Committee, Punjab Government, 1962

Secretary, Committee for the History of Freedom Movement in the Patiala and East Panjab States Union, Patiala,—1958

Member, Panjab State Committee for the History of the Freedom Movement, Simla/Patiala, November 1957—December 1962

Membership of Bodies :

Secretary, Sikh Historical Society, Lahore, 1931

Secretary, Sikh Tract Society, Lahore, 1931

Secretary, Sikh History Society, Amritsar, Patiala, 1945-56

Founder/Organizer of Sikh Reference Library (Sikh History Society), Amritsar, 1945-49

Life-Member, Indian History Congress since 1938-2nd session at Allahabad (First session held at Poona as Modern Indian History Congress, 1935)

Life-Member, the Asiatic Society (formerly Asiatic Society of Bengal, Royal Asiatic Society of Bengal) Calcutta, since 1947

Life-Member, Royal Asiatic Society of Great Britain and Ireland, London, since 1949

Life-Member, Royal Society for Asian Affairs, London

Life-Member, Bharat Itihas Samshodhak Mandal, Poona, since 1964

Member, Numismatic Society of India, Varanasi
President, Medieval India Section, Indian History Congress, 26th Session, Ranchi, December, 1964

Organizer, Panjab History Conference, Punjabi University, Patiala, First Session, November 12-14, 1965

Chairman, Reception Committee, Panjab History Conference, Punjabi University, Patiala, Second Session, October 28-30, 1966

President, Medieval Section, Panjab History Conference, Punjabi University, Patiala, third Session, March 9-10, 1968

Member, Church History Association of India, Rajpur, Dehra Dun

President, Institute of Historical Studies, Calcutta, 12th annual session, Shillong 1974

President, Indian History Congress, 35th Session, Yadavpur, Calcutta, 1974-75

President, Institute of Historical Studies, Calcutta, 13th Annual Session, Panaji, Goa, 1975

Honoured By :

Government of the Punjab on March, 31, 1963, with the Panjab State award for Literature for

1962-63 for his services to the cause of the Panjabi Language and Literature

Rotary Club of Patiala, April 1963, in appreciation for his services to the cause of literature

Shiromani Gurdwara Parbandhak Committee, Amritsar on March 28, 1964, for his services to the cause of the history of the Sikhs.

Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh, on December 19, 1964, with the degree of *Doctor of Literature (Honoris Causa)*

Panth Akali Buddha Dal Chalda Vahir Chakravarti Nihang Singhan, Panjab, July, 1972 (at Bhari), for his services to the cause of the history of the Sikhs.

Sikh Educational Conference, 52nd Session, Kanpur, October 25-27, 1974, for his "Signal Service in the field of research in Sikh History."

Punjabi University, Patiala, at the eleventh session of the Panjab History Conference, on November 27, 1976, with the presentation of a book entitled *Punjab Past and Present—Essays in Honour of Dr Ganda Singh*, edited by Harbans Singh and N. Gerald Barrier

Punjabi University, Patiala, at its fifteenth annual convocation February 25, 1978, with the award of the degree of Doctor of Literature (*Honoris Causa*) in recognition of contribution to *historical research*.

Academy of Sikh Religion and Culture, Patiala with the award of Fellowship on 25.11.79

A List of Books by Dr. Ganda Singh

Books :

A Short Life-Sketch of Banda Singh, the Martyr, popularly known as Banda Bahadur. Khalsa College, Amritsar, May, 1934

Life of Banda Singh Bahadur, based on contemporary and original sources. Khalsa College, Amritsar, April, 1935

History of the Gurdwara Shahidganj, Lahore, from its origin to November, 1935, compiled from original sources, judicial records and contemporary materials. Pub. Author. December, 1935.

Maharaja Ranjit Singh : First Death Centenary Memorial Volume, edited in collaboration with Prof. Teja Singh, with four chapters contributed. Khalsa College, Amritsar, June. 1939.

Maharaja Ranjit Singh. A life-Sketch, Pub. Author Amritsar, 1938.

Qazi Nur Muhammad's Jang Namah, giving an account of the seventh Indian invasion of Ahmad Shah Durrani (1764-65). Khalsa College, Amritsar, 1939.

Louis Bourquin, un Francais au service des Mahrattes Premiere partie Les Memoires Shiro-Shakar de Daya Ram, traduits de l'original persan, publies avec une introduction par Edmond Gaudart. Librairie Ennest Leroux, Paris, Bibliotheque publique, Pondicherey, 1940.

- Guru Nanak : His Life and Teachings. Singapore Sikh Missionary Tract Society, Singapore, 1940.
- Nanak-Panthis : The Sikhs and Sikhism of the Seventeenth Century, as given in Mohsin Fani's Dabistan-i-Mazahib translated from original Persian and edited with notes, first published in the Journal of Indian History, Vol. XIX, part 2, Serial No. 56, August, 1940.
- A History of the Khalsa College Amritsar Detachment of the Punjab University Officers Training Corps, I.T.P. Khalsa College, Amritsar, 1949.
- A History of the Khalsa College Amritsar, KCA., 1949.
- A Short History of the Sikhs. Vol. I (1469-1765) (In collaboration with Prof. Teja Singh). Orient Longmans Ltd., Bombay, Madras, Calcutta, 1950.
- The Panjab in 1839-40 : Selections from the National Archives of India, New Delhi, edited with an Introduction. Sikh History Society, Amritsar-Patiala, 1952.
- The Patiala and East Panjab States Union : Historical Back-ground. Archives Department, Government of Patiala and East Punjab States Union, Patiala, 1951.
- The First Anglo-Sikh War (1845-46) : Colonel Mouton's Report Sur Les Derniers Evenements du Punjab, translated and edited.
- A Bibliography of the Patiala and East Punjab States Union. Archives Department PEPSU, Patiala, 1954.

Private Correspondence relating to the Anglo-Sikh Wars, being private letters of Lords Ellenborough, Hardings, Dalhousie and Gough and of Political Assistants addressed to Sir Frederick Currie as British Resident at Lahore, etc, edited with an Introduction. Sikh History Society, Amritsar, Patiala, 1955.

The British Occupation of the Punjab. Sikh History Society Patiala, 1955.

A Brief Account of the Sikh People (Revised edition of A Brief Account of the Sikhs, February, 1956). Sikh History Society, Patiala, 1956, Sikh Cultural Centre, Calcutta, 1959, also translated into Marathi by Ishwar Singh Thakar, pub. Kesar Singh Dang, Poona, 1963). Delhi Gurdwara Parbandhak Committee, Delhi, 1971.

The National Anthem of India. Rotary Club, Patiala, 1957.

Ahmad Shah Durrani, Asia Publishing House, Bombay, 1959.

The Sikhs and Sikhism, Sikh History Society, Patiala, 1959.

A Diary of the Partition Days 1947. Reprinted from JIH, April and August, 1960.

History of the Origin and Progress of the Sicks by James Browne (1788), edited. Indian Studies Past and Present, Calcutta 1966.

Early European Accounts of the Sikhs, edited and annotated. Indian Studies Past and Present Calcutta, 1962.

- A Bibliography of the Panjab, Punjabi University, Patiala, 1966.
- Some confidential Papers of the Akali Movement. SGPC, Amritsar, 1965.
- Bhagat Lakshman Singh, Autobiography, edited, Sikh Cultural Centre, Calcutta, 1965.
- A Select Bibliography of the Sikhs and Sikhism. SGPC, Amritsar, 1965.
- Guru Arjan's Martyrdom Reinterpreted. Guru Nanak Mission, Patiala, 1969 (also the *Sikh Review* June 1974.)
- The Panjabi Section of the National Bibliography of Indian Literature, 1901-1953, Vol. III, Sahitya Akademi, New Delhi, 1970.
- Guru Gobind Singh's death at Nanded, An Examination of the Succession theories. Guru Nanak Foundation Bhatinda District, Faridkot, February, 1972.
- Maharaja Duleep Singh Correspondence (History of the freedom movement in the Punjab) edited with 108 page Introduction, etc) Punjabi University, Patiala, 1977.
- The Sikhs and their Religion. The Sikh foundation USA, Redwood city, California, 1974.
- Baba Banda Singh Bahadur-His life and Achievements and the place of his Execution. Sirhind Historical Research Society, Mata Gujri College, Fatehgarh Sahib, Sirhind, 1976.
- The Martyrdom of Guru Tegh Bahadur, 1976.
- Deportation of Lala Lajpat Rai and Sardar Ajit Singh (Vol. IV of the History of the Freedom

in the Punjab), edited, Punjabi University, Patiala, 1978.

Sirhind in the Eighteenth Century.

Early Records by British India G. T. Wheeler.

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Books

Inkishaf-i-Haqiqat. Sikh Tract Society, Lahore,
Tract No. 67 for May, June and July, 1926.

Tazkirah-i-Baba Banda Singh Shahid, translated
from English by Prof. Mohan Singh, Sikh Youth
League, Amritsar, June, 1954.

Mirat-u-Tawarikh-i-Sikhan, Farist-i-Nusakh-i-Khati-
o-Matbuat Farsi-o-Urdu Mutaliqa Towarikh-i-
Sikhan : A List of Persian and Urdu Manuscripts
and Books on the Sikhs, Khalsa College,
Amritsar, January, 1934.

Diwan-i-Nanak Shah : Persian Translation of the
Sukhmani of Guru Arjun (transcribed from the
copy of the Bibliotheque Nationale, Paris, by
Sardar Umrao Singh Sher-Gil Majithia), edited
and published, Amritsar, August, 1935.

Makhiz-i-Tawarikh-i-Sikhan, Vol. 1 (Guru period)
Sikh History Society, Amritsar, 1949.

(Contains excerpts, dealing with the Sikhs from
Akbar-Nama by Abul Fazl)

Tuzk-i-Jahangiri

Dabistan-i-Mazahib by Mohsin Fani

A Patta of the land at Kartarpur (Jullundur)

Khulasa-tu-Tawarikh by Sujan Rai Bhandari

Namah-i-Guru Gobind Singh

Zafarnama-i-Guru Gobind Singh

Ahkam-i-Alamgiri, Inayatullah Ismi

Tarikh-i-Muazzam Shah by Maulavi Abdul Rasul

Akhbarat-i-Darbar-i-Muallah

Chahar Gulshan by Chataraman Sarb Loh Granth

Mukhtisar Nanak Shahi Jantri. ;—A book of Comparative Chronological Tables of the Nanak Shahi, the Khalsa, the Bikrami, the Christian, the Hijri, the Shaka and the Fasli eras from 1469 to 1949 A. D. Sikh History Society, Amritsar, 1949

Mukhtasar Nanak-Shahi Jantri, 1949

Awraq-i-Prishan-i-Tawarikh-Panjab, edited and annotated. Sikh History Society Amritsar, January, 1949

Contains :

- (i) Battle of Multan, the Conquest of Peshawar and Kashmir and the Annexation of Mankera by Maharaja Ranjit Singh
- (ii) Account of the Panjab from after the murder of Dhian Singh upto the Hazara Affair

Shah Nama-i-Ranjit Singh by Maulvi Ahmad Yar, edited, Sikh History Society, Amritsar, 1951

Nath Mall, Amar Namah, translated into Panjabi with an Introduction. Sikh History Society, Amritsar/Patiala, 1953

Kulliyat-i-Bhai Nandlal Goya

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Baisakhi ka Khalsa Sandesh, Khalsa Pracharak
Jatha, Delhi, April, 1930

Guru Gobind Singh ke Sahibzadon ke Jiwan
Brittant, Khalsa Pracharak Jatha, Delhi,
December, 1930

Gutka Sukhmani Sahib, With Introduction Gurmat
Vidyala, Delhi, April 1933

Sikh Lokancha Sankshipt Itihas—Marathi transla-
tion, by Ishwar Singh Thakur, of A Brief
Account of the Sikh People—Pub, Kesar Singh
Dang, Poona, 1963.

Sikkan ka Sankshipt Brittant—Hindi translation
by Sardar Ishwar Singh Thakur of A Brief
Account of the Sikh People, Ed. Com. Chief
Khalsa Diwan, Amritsar, 1965.

ਪੰਜਾਬੀ ਪੁਸਤਕਾਂ

ਸਿੱਖੀ ਪ੍ਰਚਾਰ ਅਗਸਤ 1928

ਸਿੱਖ ਇਤਿਹਾਸ ਖਾਲਸਾ ਟਰੈਕਟ ਸੋਸਾਇਟੀ ਐਮ੍ਰਿਤਸਰ, ਅਪ੍ਰੈਲ ਮਈ 1932, ਟਰੈਕਟ
ਨੰਬਰ 857—859

ਕੁਝ ਕੁ ਪੁਰਾਤਨ ਸਿਖ ਇਤਿਹਾਸਕ ਪਤਰੇ, ਐਮ੍ਰਿਤਸਰ, 1937.

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ਤੁਜ਼ਕਿ ਜਹਾਂਗੀਰ

ਸੀਅਰੁਲ ਮੁਤਾਖਿਰੀਨ

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ਖ਼ੁਲਾਸਾ ਤਵਾਰੀਖ਼

ਬੈਤਾਂ ਸ਼ੇਰ ਸਿੰਘ ਕੀਆਂ, ਕਵਿ ਨਿਹਾਲ ਸਿੰਘ (ਸੰਪਾਦਿਤ) ਅੰਮ੍ਰਿਤਸਰ 1938.
 ਮਹਾਰਾਜਾ ਕੌੜਾ ਮਲ ਬਹਾਦਰ, ਅੰਮ੍ਰਿਤਸਰ, 1942
 ਸਰਦਾਰ ਸ਼ਾਮ ਸਿੰਘ ਅਟਾਰੀਵਾਲਾ, ਅੰਮ੍ਰਿਤਸਰ, 1942, 1948
 ਕ੍ਰਿਕੀਆ ਦੀ ਵਿਥਿਆ ਅੰਮ੍ਰਿਤਸਰ, 1944, 1946.
 ਸਿੱਖ ਇਤਿਹਾਸ ਬਾਰੇ, ਫੁਟਕਲ ਲੇਖ, 1942, 1946
 ਸਿੱਖ ਇਤਿਹਾਸ ਵਲ ਫੁਟਕਲ ਇਤਿਹਾਸ ਲੇਖ, 1946
 ਪੰਜਾਬ ਦੀਆਂ ਵਾਰਾਂ, (ਸੰਪਾਦਿਤ) ਅੰਮ੍ਰਿਤਸਰ, 1946
 ਜੰਗਨਾਮਾ ਲਾਹੌਰ, ਕਾਹਨ ਸਿੰਘ ਬੰਗਾ, ਅੰਮ੍ਰਿਤਸਰ, 1946
 ਅੰਗਰੇਜ਼ਾਂ ਤੇ ਸਿੰਘਾਂ ਦੀ ਲੜਾਈ ਸ਼ਾਹ ਮੁਹੰਮਦ (ਸੰਪਾਦਿਤ) ਅੰਮ੍ਰਿਤਸਰ, 1946
 ਸਿੱਖ ਇਤਿਹਾਸਕ ਯਾਦਗਾਰਾਂ, ਅੰਮ੍ਰਿਤਸਰ, 1950
 ਵਾਰ ਅੰਮ੍ਰਿਤਸਰ ਕੀ, ਕਵੀ ਦਰਸ਼ਨ (ਸੰਪਾਦਿਤ) ਅੰਮ੍ਰਿਤਸਰ, 1951
 ਅਮਰ ਨਾਮਾ (ਫਾਰਸੀ), ਪੰਜਾਬੀ ਵਿਚ ਉਲਥਾ, ਪਟਿਆਲਾ, 1953
 ਅਫਗਾਨਿਸਤਾਨ ਵਿਚ ਇਕ ਮਹੀਨਾ, 1954
 ਪੰਜਾਬ ਉੱਤੇ ਅੰਗਰੇਜ਼ਾਂ ਦਾ ਕਬਜ਼ਾ, ਪੰਜਾਬੀ ਸਾਹਿਤ ਅਕਾਡਮੀ ਲੁਧਿਆਣਾ 1955, 1957
 ਮਹਾਤਮਾ ਯਿਸੂ ਮਸੀਹ ਦਾ ਪਹਾੜੀ ਉਪਰ ਉਪਦੇਸ਼, ਪਟਿਆਲਾ, 1958, 1959,
 1966, 1974
 ਪੰਜਾਬ ਅਤੇ ਪੰਜਾਬ ਦੇ ਇਤਿਹਾਸਕ ਅਸਥਾਨ ।
 ਪੰਜਾਬ ਭਾਈ ਜੋਧ ਸਿੰਘ ਅਭਿਨੰਦਨ ਗ੍ਰੰਥ, (ਸੰਪਾਦਿਤ) ਪਟਿਆਲਾ, 1962
 ਭਾਈ ਜੋਧ ਸਿੰਘ (ਭਾ: ਜੋਧ ਸਿੰਘ ਅਭਿਨੰਦਨ ਗ੍ਰੰਥ) ਪਟਿਆਲਾ, 1962
 ਬੰਦਾ ਸਿੰਘ ਬਹਾਦਰ, ਅੰਮ੍ਰਿਤਸਰ, 1965
 ਸੀ ਹਰਫੀਆਂ ਹਰੀ ਸਿੰਘ ਨਲਵਾ ਕਾਦਿਰ ਯਾਰ (ਸੰਪਾਦਿਤ) ਪਟਿਆਲਾ, 1965
 ਸ੍ਰੀ ਗੁਰ ਸੱਭਾ, ਕਵੀ ਸੈਨਾਪਤੀ (ਸੰਪਾਦਿਤ) ਪੰਜਾਬੀ ਯੂਨੀਵਰਸਿਟੀ, ਪਟਿਆਲਾ 1967
 ਭਾਈ ਨੰਦ ਲਾਲ ਗ੍ਰੰਥਵਲੀ, (ਸੰਪਾਦਿਤ) ਮਲਾਕਾ 1968
 ਹੁਕਮਨਾਮੇ, ਪੰਜਾਬੀ ਯੂਨੀਵਰਸਿਟੀ, ਪਟਿਆਲਾ, 1967
 ਸਰਦਾਰ ਜੱਸਾ ਸਿੰਘ ਆਹਲੂਵਾਲੀਆ, ਪੰਜਾਬੀ ਯੂਨੀਵਰਸਿਟੀ, 1969
 ਬੰਦਾ ਸਿੰਘ ਬਹਾਦਰ ਦੀ ਸ਼ਹੀਦੀ ਦਾ ਅਸਥਾਨ, ਗੁਰੂ ਨਾਨਕ ਮਿਸ਼ਨ 1975
 ਬਾਬਾ ਬੰਦਾ ਸਿੰਘ ਬਹਾਦਰ, ਗੁਰੂ ਨਾਨਕ ਮਿਸ਼ਨ, ਪਟਿਆਲਾ ।

